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TAGS: OVIP (ROCKEFELLER, NELSON A.)

SUBJECT: TRAVEL BY NELSON ROCKEFELLER MARCH 17-29; ADVANCE
PARTY MARCH 7-27

1. FORMER VICE PRESIDENT NELSON ROCKEFELLER PLANS TO VISIT
EGYPT, SAUDI ARABIA, JORDAN, ISRAEL, AND SYRIA, IN RESPONSE
TO LONG-STANDING INVITATIONS. TRIP IS TENTATIVELY
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SCHEDULED MARCH 18-28. MRS. ROCKEFELLER WILL ACCOMPANY
FOR PART OF TRIP.

2. BASIC ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE MADE BY ROCKEFELLER'S AD-
VANCE AND SECURITY PEOPLE DIRECTLY WITH HOST GOVERNMENTS,
AND THEY ARE ALSO IN TOUCH WITH COUNTRIES' EMBASSIES IN
WASHINGTON. POSTS, HOWEVER, SHOULD BE IN TOUCH WITH LOCAL

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND ROCKEFELLER ADVANCE PARTY TO OFFER SUPPORT AS MAY BE NEEDED.

3. TENTATIVE RPT TENTATIVE ITINERARY OF NELSON ROCKEFELLER IS AS FOLLOWS (TRAVEL BY PRIVATE AIRCRAFT):

MARCH 17 DEPART NEW YORK 9 AM ARR. LONDON 8:30 PM

MARCH 18 DEPART LONDON 10 AM ARR. CAIRO 4:40 PM

MARCH 21 DEPART CAIRO 9 AM ARR. RIYADH 1:00 PM

(MRS. ROCKEFELLER WILL REMAIN IN EGYPT).

MARCH 23 DEPART SAUDI ARABIA 10 AM ARR. AMMAN 3:15 PM

MARCH 24 DRIVE FROM JORDAN TO ISRAEL; LEAVE PLANE IN AMMAN.

MARCH 26 RETURN TO AMMAN VIA ROAD; FLY TO DAMASCUS

MARCH 28 DEPART DAMASCUS 10 AM ARR. CAIRO 11:30 AM

MARCH 28 DEPART CAIRO 3 PM ARR. LEON 6:30 PM

MARCH 29 DEPART LEON 10 AM ARR. NEW YORK 1:00 PM

4. ROCKEFELLER ADVANCE AND SUPPORT TEAMS COMPOSED OF

A) JOSEPH CANZERI AND WILLIAM KEHOE; B) ROGER WHYTE AND CHRIS MURPHY WILL DEPART U.S. MARCH 7 ON FOLLOWING FIRM RPT FIRM ITINERARIES:

JOE CANZERI/BILL KEHOE

MARCH 7 PAN AMERICAN 110Y DEPART JFK 8:15 PM

MARCH 8 ARRIVE ROME 10:10 AM

MARCH 8 SAUDI ARABIAN 772F DEPART ROME 2:35 PM ARRIVE

RIYADH 9:35.

MARCH 10 SAUDI ARABIAN 973F DEPART RIYADH 7:00 PM

ARRIVE AMMAN 8:20 PM

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MARCH 13 SYRIAN ARAB AIR 212Y DEPART AMMAN 2:45 PM

ARRIVE DAMASCUS 3:35 PM

MARCH 14 EGYPTAIR 721F DEPART DAMASCUS 8:30 PM ARRIVE

CAIRO 10:30 PM

ROGER WHYTE/CHRIS MURPHY

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MARCH 14 EGYPTAIR 721F DEPART DAMASCUS 8:30 PM ARRIVE
CAIRO 10:30 PM

MARCH 19 SAUDI ARABIAN 144Y DEPART CAIRO 2:30 PM ARRIVE
RIYADH 6:05 PM

MARCH 21 SAUDI ARABIAN 840Y DEPART RIYADH 6:45 ARRIVE
BAHRAIN 7:50 PM OVERNIGHT IN BAHRAIN-HILTON
MARCH 22 ALIA-ROYAL JORDIANIAN 181Y DEPART BAHRAIN 7:00AM
ARRIVE AMMAN 8:30 AM
MARCH 25 SYRIAN-ARAB 212Y DEPART AMMAN 2:45 PM ARRIVE
DAMASCUS 3:35 PM
MARCH 27 ALITALIA 719Y DEPART DAMASCUS 8:00 AM ARRIVE
ROME 10:25 AM
MARCH 27 ALITALIA 338Y DEPART ROME 1:10PM ARRIVE NICOSIA
2:10 PM
DEPART NICOSIA ARRIVE JFK OPEN.

5. STRONGLY SUGGEST EMBASSIES MEET ADVANCE TEAMS UPON ARRIVAL AND OFFER TO ASSIST WITH CONTACTS. TEAMS WILL BE PARTICULARLY CONCERNED WITH ADEQUACY OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT ARRANGEMENTS RE SECURITY, HOUSING, AND TRANSPORT AND WILL APPRECIATE EMBASSY ADVICE/ASSISTANCE AS APPROPRIATE.

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6. MR. ROCKEFELLER IS BEING BRIEFED IN WASHINGTON ON IMPORTANT ISSUES OF INTEREST TO AREA AND SPECIFIC COUNTRIES OF VISIT; EMBASSIES SHOULD BE IN A POSITION TO PROVIDE LOCAL SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEFINGS IF ASKED. WHILE THE FORMER VICE PRESIDENT IS TRAVELING AS A PRIVATE CITIZEN, HE WILL BE MEETING WITH TOP POLITICAL LEADERS, WHO WILL ASSUME THAT HE IS AU COURANT OF MAIN DEVELOPMENTS AND THAT HE WILL BE TALKING TO U.S. OFFICIALS UPON HIS RETURN. CONSEQUENTLY, WE STRONGLY SUGGEST EMBASSIES APPOINT CONTROL/LIAISON OFFICERS TO ACT AS POINT OF CONTACT WITH ROCKEFELLER PARTY AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS WHO ARE HANDLING ARRANGEMENTS FOR HIS VISIT. PARTY HAS INDICATED IT MAY NEED TO ASK FOR SECRETARIAL/COMMUNICATIONS ASSISTANCE.

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